For the successful completion of this week, students are required to: Read the following: Mandaville, Islam and Politics, Ch. 3 Cesari, "The Nationalist Origins of Political Islam" Hussain, "Revolutionary Islamists" Hussain, "Traditional Islamists" Hussain, "Modernist Islamists" Vali Nasr, “The Prophets of Change” Wright, “the Counter-jihad” Bayat, “The Post Islamism Revolution: What the Revolt in the Arab World Mean” Al Anani, “Islamists Between Conservatism and Revolution” “Voices within Islam: Four Perspectives on Tolerance and Diversity” Omid Safi, "What is Progressive Islam" Khalid Abou al Fadl, "Islam Torn Between Extremism and Moderation" Watch the required video/audio: Farhang Rajaee, “Islamism, Modernism, and Post-Islamism” (Audio Lecture) Richard Bulliet, "Religion and the State in Islam: From Medieval Caliphate to the Muslim Brotherhood" James Piscatori, "In Search of the Umma: The Social Imaginary and its Discontents" PBS, "America at a Crossroads: JIHAD, the Men and Ideas behind Al-Qaeda"